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(Center Room.)

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(Basement.)

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Lodge Notes and Fraternal Interests

Odd Fellows Labor Day Picnic-Neosha Club Opens Whist Season-Elks to Hear of Los Angles Convention-Fall Campaign Started by Royal Arcanum-Foresters Plan Social Programme.

ODD FELLOWS.

Members of the order from all over he state will be assembled Monday at he Fairview home, Groton, for the mnual Labor Day picnic, when the hree linkers grasp the opportunity to raternize with their brothers and sis-er Rebekahs from all parts of the urisdiction. The attendance annually eaches the 500 mark, and the pros-nets are that it will be fully up to hat this year.

The outing is arranged on the baskt pienic plan for the Odd Feliows and
heir families, with coffee and chowder
erved at dinner time.

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A programme of sports is to be carried out this year and is expected to be a big feature of the day, the events being run off in the morning and afternoon, under the auspices of a committee consisting of F. J. Hope (chairman), F. Q. Smith, and John A. Palmer. There are to be two prizes in all events except quoits, in which there is one, and there will be no prize for the ball game or tug of war. Tames lodge of Montville has a ball team which will line up against a team picked up man), F. Q. Smith, and John A. Palmer. There are to be two prizes in all
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one, and there will be no prize for the
ball game or tug of war. Tames lodge
of Montville has a ball team which
will line up against a team picked up
to give them a centest. The other athletic events will be as follows: Tug
for war, quoits, shoe race, potato race,
100 yard dash, spoon race for ladies,
100 yard dash for men—R. H. Small,
100 yard dash for men—R. H. of war, quoits, shoe race, potato race, 100 yard dash, spoon race for ladies, 50 yard feature for ladies, sack race, three legged race and fat men's race.

ROYAL ARCANUM,

The leaders of the Royal Arcanum in the state of Connecticut were assembled Thursday in regular semi-annual conference at Hill's Homestead, West Haven for the purpose of outlining a campaign for mebership during the fall and winter.

Withe the exception of four of the grand council officers, all were in attendance at this session, together with representatives from the 37 councils in this state. George A. Smith representatives from the services of the servic

this state. George A. Smith repre-ented Norwich council, No. 720. Adelard Morin represented Thames Adelard Morin represented Thames lodge, No. 1851. and Past Grand Reger: W. E. Canneld with Grator George W. Ademy of Norwich council also attended the session.

The meeting was called to order at 1 o'clock by Oscar L. Burdick, grand regent of the state, and at 1.30 all lead down to a dinner prepared by Mr.

explaining changes of the supreme council, and encouraging those pres-ent to take vigorous action during the

All of the living past grand regents of Connecticut were present with one exception, and it was a source of

DEGREE OF POCAHONTAS.

est patterns, value 121/2e and 15c-To-day 7c a yard. Women's and Misses' Wool Suits in 36-inch cloth, regular price 12½c. Seseveral different styles and colors, lect any from our stock—Today 10c.

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Children's White Gauze Long and Short Sleeve Vests and Knee Pants, 17c value. Final cleanup of the sea-son—10c each.

Quart bottles of Violet Ammonia,

Neesha club held their first home hist on Thursday afternoon and evenorted patterns, very special for today patterns to match the fall suitings. Fine patterns at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

whist on Thursday afternoon and evening with the president, Nettle Kinnie.
A baked bean supper was served. In
the evening whist was played. At the
six tables the prize winners were the
following. First lady's, Anna Edmonds,
cuke plate. 35: second, Mary Mueller,
bon bon dish, 33: first gentleman's,
Lewis N. Carpenter, cup and saucer,
37: second, George H. Stanton, shaving mug. 25: consolations, Mary Ann

ing mug. 26; consolations, Mary Ann Harvey and Mary J. Whiting, who took male parts. They will hold an-other in a couple of weeks.

The club will begin a series of whist events that will be held in Foresters' hall during the winter, the first one to be held on Sept. 27.

ODD FELLOWS, MANCHESTER UNITY.

Athlete Eath Towels, hemmed and copied, large sizes, value 29c—Today 19c each.

All Linen Brown Crash, value 10c—Today 7½c a yard.

Hemmed Crochet Bedspread, full time, very good quality, value \$1.25—Today \$1.00 each.

The regular meeting of Hope lodge, No. 21, was held Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows' hall. Noble Grand Grace Willey presiding over a well attended meeting. The routine business was disposed of and Sister Lulu Palmer was busy with arranging for her assistants at the Odd Fellows' home on Labor day. She is in charge of the tables and coffee and ten women from each of the Rebekah lodges in the district are to be delegated as her assistants. They expect a busy time in the serving of the dinner for 500 at the old Fellows' home on the annual pic-nic which is always a feature of Labor day. The lodge members from here will go down on the 9 oclock train in

Hepe lodge is expecting to have work in a month or two, as several of the members have candidates promised, and it is hoped to have some applications by the next meeting.

LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. H. The first social evening for the season of the Ladies' auxiliary, A. O. H., was held in Hibernian hall Thursday with a good number present, whist being the special attraction. This passed the evening pleasantly under the direction of the committee, which comprised the president, Mrs. Katherine De Garmo, Mrs. Sliney, Mrs. Rose O'Neill and the president, Mrs. Ratherine De Garmo, Mrs. Sliney, Mrs. Rose O'Neill and
Miss Neille T. Collins.

Those who received the prizes were
the following: First lady's, Mrs. Downing of North Main street, a cake plate;
second, Miss Anna Sliney, a rose bowl:
consolation, Miss Hattle De Garmo, a
baby dell. Sea continuous.

consolution, Miss Hattle De Garme, a baby doll: first gentleman's, Mr. Gladus, a box of cigars; second, P. J. Downing, a pipe, and there was also an ash tray for a consolution prize.

The award of a \$5 gold piece was an interesting feature, the lucky man proving to be J. P. Downing of No. 455 North Main street. Ice cream and cake were served at the close and a few dance numbers closed the evening at 11 o'clock.

Norwich Jodge. No. 420, heid its regular meeting Thursday evening in Pythian hall, Exalted Ruler William R. Stevens presiding. Past Exalted Ruler Nelson J. Ayling, who was the representative of the lodge to the grand lodge at Los Angeles, was present to give his report, but as the attendance was small; this was put over till, the next meeting. The lodge has now resumed its regular meetings twice a month after the summer recess, when only one a month is held.

P. E. R. Nelson J. Ayling, Thoma H. Crawford and P. E. R. Edward S

Beulah lodge of New London made its basket picnic at Richards' grove last Wednesday a very enjoyable occasion for the many present during the day, the numbers being largely increased during the evening. Grand Secretary Jeremiah Wall came from New Haven for the evening hours and there were a number from the two Norwich lodges present during the day. A chowder of the first class was served at noon. In the evening an orchestra-played for dancing.

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An exciting programme of athletic sports was held in which the following

Potato race-L. C. Jewett, pair pock t shears. 50 yard dash for boys—Timothy Sullivan, pocket knife.
50 yard dash for girls—Miss Delia
Shea, silver shoe horn.
56 yard wheelbarrow race—Mrs. May
Whiting, cut glass salt and pepper shakers.

The committee in charge comprised
Mrs. James Vickery, chairman, Mrs.
John Bergin, W. D. Beckwith and James

FORESTERS.

Fridar evening in Foresters hall Court City of Norwicht, No. 83, held its regular monthly meeting, attended by a large number as it was the first business meeting to be held after the summer vacation. Four candidates were initiated, being put through the second degree by the newly organized degree team.

After two years had passed the financial secretary made a report show-

St. Lawrence at the "Old" Hill's Homestead.

The roll of councils was called, and aftes a few remarks by the grand regent. Past Grand Regent Edward Becker of the state of New York was introduced as the representative from the supreme council. He addressed the representatives present explaining changes of the supreme council, and encouraging those of the supreme int to take vices. is to give every member a chance to arrange for a different kind of social thereby obtaining a great variety of social evenings.

Rector Hooker Surprised. Some of the children of Poquetanuck

gave the rector of St. James' church, Rev. W. E. Hooker, a surprise party, on Wednesday evening assembling at a nearby dwelling, they proceeded to the rectory, where a very pleasant

ent to take vigorous action during the next six months toward increasing the membership of this grand jurisdiction, so that at the end of the year Connecticut missit stand among those grand jurisdictions entitled to honorable mention by the supreme regent. Supreme Regent Clovis H. Bowen was expected from Rhode Island, but in the morning a telegram was received announcing his inability to attend. These conferences have been held for several years and the grand council officers have been able to get more closely in touch with the active workers of the state in this way.

All of the living past grand regents evening was passed.

Some gifts for the rector were a fea-ture of the visit, and were very much appreciated. All was planned and carried out by two or three of the boys of the place.

Mystic.—Thursday afternoon was the last of the half holidays for the summer of 1909, which has been thor-oughly enjoyed by the grocers' clerks. pleasure to see so many, who had been active in leadership during the past 20 years, still maintaining their interest Manchester.—Practically every owner of well bred poultry in town will make entries in the poultry show to be conducted in connection with the Conin the organization.

The meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock, in time for all present to take the evening trains for their respective necticut fair next month

> Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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